Explosion, Mrs. Prosser

Jumped from a Window.

## WOMAN ACCUSED

## Wife of a Brooklyn Politician, Her Reputation Is of the Best.

Says Her Arrest Was Due to Personal Animosity of One of the Firm.

He Had Insulted Her and She Had Told Her Husband About It.

Filched Ribbons and Trinkets, and Appeared Dazed When Armigned-Sixty Year-Old Man Arrested in Hilton & Hughes's Store.

Mrs. Georgia Lansestey, wife of a Brooktion is of the best, was arraigned in the Gates Avenue Police Court yesterday

charged with shoplifting on Saturday last.

The complainant was Herman Bach, of the firm of Bookman & Each, dry goods dealers at Fulton street and Georgia avenue, Brooklyn. The hearing was adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning, and Mrs. Lansestey was released on \$500 ball, which was given by Edward F. Linton, who was a member of the first Greater New York

Mrs. Lansestey protested that her arrest was unwarranted and is the result of personal animosity on the part of Mr. Bach. Captain Early and the police of the Liberty Avenue Station, where she was taken after her arrest, say that they believe the affair is the result of a mistake, and that although the property Mrs. Lansestey is charged with stealing was found on-her, she had no intention of taking it without paying for it. In support of this, they say that the value of the goods involved was only thirty-five cents, and that Mrs. Lansestey had been a regular customer of Bookman & Bach for many years. Besides this, she is personally known to both members of the firm, and is on friendly terms with the members of their

Mrs. Lansestey lives at No. 10 Snedeker avenue. She is a woman of good appearance and the mother of a large family. Her two elder sons are in business for themselves. Though suffering severely yesterday from nervousness as the result of her arrest, she told the story of the affair.

"I have known Mr. Bookman and Mr. Bach for years," she said, "and know their families well. I have always bought such goods as they could supply at their store and have been in the place three or four times a week for many years. Saturday I needed a wrapper and some other articles.

"I bought the wrapper and had a bill made out for it. Then I thought I would get a new belt. I picked out such a one as I wanted and the saleswoman tried it on me. It was too large, but I told her I could fix it and she left it about my

"While I was standing at the counter I naw some lace, and picking it up examined it. I had my handkerchief in my hand and rucked that in my belt. I must have un consciously tucked the piece of lace in with my handkerchief, for when I went to leave the store I was arrested.

"I wanted the belt and intended to pay for it. The lace I did not want as it was ot of a quality such as I would buy. However, the belt and the lace together were only worth thirty-five cents. "I cannot understand why I was ar-

rested, as Mr. Bach, who called the policeman, has known me for years. The only
motive I can imagine is that he wanted to
be revenged on me. Some months ago I
went to the store to buy a cloak, and he
insulted me. I told him that I would tell
his wife, and then I told my husband what
had happened. Since then, Mr. Bach has
been unfriendly, and I think he may have
taken this way of trying to injure me."
When he made his complaint at the station house, Mr. Bach said that Mrs. Lansestey had been taking goods from the
store for a long time. He said that she
had been watched and was seen repeatedly
to take articles of small value and secrete
them under her wrap.

Mrs. Lansestey's neighbors scout the idea
that she would be guilty of such an offence.
See her lead to Fast Naw York all her life rested, as Mr. Bach, who called the police-

she would be gullty of such an offence, has lived in East New York all her life

## TWO LOCKED IN DEATH.

Longshoremen Stephen Garvey and James Murphy Fought Until They Drowned. Bodies Recovered.

The body of Stephen Garvey, the 'long horeman who was drowned off Pier 25 North River Saturday while fighting with James Murphy on the bulkhead of the dock, was removed yesterday from the No. 225 Spring street. The undertakers are acting under the instructions of Garvey's widow, who lives with her three calldren at No. 434 Hudson street.

Garvey was fifty, industrious at the Old Dominion line pler, and supported his wife and children. Murphy was single and speat his leisure time in carousals. Garvey's repeated remonstrances with him had made them foes. Murphy got a job to band, Cried Out in Her Terror Means of Escape—Her help unload coal from the canalboat Alice at the Morgan pier, Saturday, but was unfit for work, and was discharged. Garwey got the place, and Murphy pelted him with coal until he was tired, and went to sleep on the stringplece. Awakening just wich street, at daybreak yesterday, people cut off, Mrs. Annie Prosser, forty years PRETTY WOMAN CAUGHT IN THE ACT. as Garvey finished his work, Murphy challenge was o'clock they had heard a wild shrick, the

In the rough and tumble fight that followed each one tried to throw the other into the river, and finally the men cliuched, fell into the water together and a shout went up from the assembled crowd. Still clinched, the men came to the surface. Men on the pier yelied to them to let go and swim. Instead, Murphy, who had released his right hand, struck Garrey in the face. Garvey grasped his antagonist's throat, and then both went down and arose no more.

Policemen Donohue and McManns of the turmoid had occurred at any other time than on Sunday morning, there would have then an alarm and investigation, but disturbances are common in the neighborhood after Saturday night's hilarity.

When the body, cut and bruised by the fall from a third-story window, was found, the neighbors commenced talking about the curious cry they had heard.

Mys. Galvin was the wife of Michael Gal.

TWO WOMEN LEAPED FROM DIZZY HEIGHTS TO DEA

Mrs. Galvin's Body Found in the Her Clothing Set on Fire by an Back Yard-of a Greenwich Street Tenement

Morgue by Undertakers Engan & Leake, of Neighbors Heard the Woman's Last She Fell Fifty Feet and Crashed Cry, but Did Not Make an Investigation.

and Made the Fatal

Leap.

accepted, although Murphy was fifteen breaking of boards and then grouns. If

Through the Frail Roof of a Shed.

Burned.

Body Terribly





Shake into Your Shoes

street, Hoboken, shortly before 4 o'clock

brough the room, and an explosion fol-

owed. The burning oil flew in all direc-

the blazing oll stove barred her way. Then

she tried the door leading to the adjoining

self for an instant on the sill, then leaped

shed. The roof gave way beneath her weight and amid splintered timbers she

lay groaning with pain.

Detective Fentorf and Patrolmen Woern and Conlin, who had been told a woman wourning to death, found Mrs. Prosser they An ambulance took her to St. Mary's Hepital. There it was found that the upp portions of her body had been burned most to a crisp. The house surgeon saher death was but the question of a febours.

Special Notices.

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low to the ground below.

Deaths.

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The steep hillside at the foot of Warren the address given by Mrs. Norton was a street, West Hoboken, has numerous caves, and shady men and hardened women have in this city.

membered aught of the commission of the crime.

Mer name, she said, was Mrs. Frances Norton, and she lived at No. 195 Fulton street, Brooklyn. Mrs. Norton came to counter. She was about to leave the place are lessly on her arm.

As she was about to leave the place Miss Anna Coulter arrested her for shoplifring. She was locked up all night, and it was only lived are feeding of the places of the rollight.

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WHERE MRS. GALVIN FELL TO HER DEATH.

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In th an wakened, said:
"Oh, I had a terrible dream. I thought lichael had died."
It is thought that possibly she had anther such dream last night, that she gave scream of terror and in the fright imped through the window.
The body was found by Johnny Lyons, a ten years, who looked out of his

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Excursions.

esterday afternoon leaped from the win-Manhattan Beach. Mrs. Prosser, whose husband is in Eu-ope, was preparing dinner. The oll stove stood on a small table near the door. Mrs. tif hourly from 6:40 to 10:40 P. M. TTEHALL ST., via Bay Ridge, dal lunday, hourly from 7:10 A. M. to and half hourly from 1:10 to 9:10, Prosser, after lighting the stove, leaned over it to adjust one of the pots con-taining the dinner. A gust of wind swept

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Coney Island.
Brooklyn Bridge.

apartments. It was locked, and, as the flames burned her flesh, causing excruciating agony, Mrs. Prosser became desperate. B'klyn Bridge dally 8:13, 8:48, 9:43, 10:18, half hourly from 10:53 A. M. to 12:53, and v twenty minutes from 1:07 to 10:47 P. M. c. Tickets 20 cents, including Elevated, on sale at all B'klyn Elevated R. R. sta-There was only another chance for escape through the window. And, as her agony became more intense and the black smoke choked her, Mrs. Prosser took it. With a ound she reached the window, polsed her-

Culver Route.

The drop was fifty feet. Mrs. Prosser's body zig-zagged through the air and then ROCKAWAY BEACH. with a crash landed on the roof of a small landed on the floor of the shed. There, with the flames still burning her flesh, she

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